



## John Wayne Simpson

January 28, 1942 - December 22, 2022

Mr. John W. Simpson, 80, of Newnan, Georgia passed away, Thursday, December 22, 2022, at his home. He was born January 28, 1942, in Birmingham, Alabama to the late Harry W. Simpson and Evelyn Weems Huddleston. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his stepfather, Gerald Huddleston; his sister, Dorthy Luciano, and brother Harry Huddleston.

Mr. Simpson is survived by his wife of 53 years, Brenda German Simpson of Newnan, Georgia; his daughter Carey Scoggins (Alan) of Newnan, Georgia, his son John I. Simpson (Kristine) of Chattanooga, Tenn; grandchildren Sarah Scoggins, Anna Scoggins, Thomas Scoggins, Sylvia Simpson, Imogen Simpson, and Winslow Simpson; his niece, Lisa Luciano (Mark) of Atlanta; his cousin, Randy McDaniel (Sharon) of Newnan.

John grew up in Atlanta, Georgia, and graduated from North Clayton High School. He served in the United States Air Force then returning to Georgia to work 30 years as an air traffic controller at the Federal Aviation Administration Atlanta Center in Hampton, Ga. He served as elder at Covenant Presbyterian Church in Fayetteville, Georgia, and Hilton Head Presbyterian Church in Hilton Head, South Carolina.

A graveside service will be held Wednesday, December 28, 2022, at Forest

Lawn Memorial Park at 11:00 am, with Andrew Chappell officiating. A celebration of life will be planned for early Spring. Rather than flowers, the family requests memorial contributions to Gentiva Hospice 2525 Highway 34E. Newnan, Georgia 30265 (1-770-502-1104)

Condolences can be expressed online at [www.mckoon.com](http://www.mckoon.com)

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory 770-253-4580

# Cemetery Details

## Forest Lawn Memorial Park

656 Roscoe Road  
Newnan, GA 30263

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

DEC 28. 11:00 AM (ET)

Forest Lawn Memorial Park  
656 Hwy 70  
Newnan, GA 30263

# Tribute Wall

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“ *What can you say at a time like this. I became Mr. John's caregiver in July, & immediately felt like part of the family. I'm so sorry Mr. John couldn't stay with us longer. I will continue to pray that GOD will guide you & continue to BLESS this family. I'm going to miss Mr. John & also miss being there with you guys everyday. I will continue to keep in touch & pray that each day gets easier. If you ever need me for anything, don't hesitate to call.*

*~Maureen*

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**Maureen King** - December 27, 2022 at 10:11 PM